

From the Black Rock Gazette.  
**THE CHIPPEWA GIRL.**  
They tell me the men with a pure white face  
Belong to a purer, nobler race:  
But why if they do—yes, it may be so—  
Do their tongues cry yes! and their actions so?

They tell me that white is a heavenly hue,  
And it may be so—but the sky is blue!  
And the first of men, as our old men say,  
Had earth-brown skins and were made of clay.

But throughout my life I've heard it said,  
There's nothing surpasses a tint of red!  
Oh! the white man's cheeks are pale and sad,  
Compared to my beautiful Indian lad.

Then let them boast of their race divine—  
Their glittering domes—their sparkling wine—  
Give me a lodge, as my fathers had,  
And my tall, straight, beautiful Indian lad.

**A Boy's Letter.**—The following specimen of a boy's letter is from Hood's Comic Annual. There is such a truth of character in it—so much of that spirit of drollery, mixed with mischief, which often prevails in the young human being of the male sex—that we cannot help declaring it to be, in its own words, "capital fun." The letter proceeds from a country boy, to what the polite letter-writer would call his "friend in town."

"Now, Bob, I'll tell you what I want. I want you to come down here for the holidays. Don't be afraid. Ask your sister to ask your mother to ask your father to let you come. It's only ninety mile. The two prentices, George and Will, are here to be made farmers of; and brother Nick is took home from school to help in agriculture. We like farming very much; it's capital fun. Us four have got a gun and go out shooting; it's a famous good one, and sure to go off, if you don't full cock it. Tiger is to be our shooting dog, as soon as he has left off killing the sheep. He's real savage, and worries cats beautiful. Before father comes down, we mean to bait our bull with him. There's plenty of New Rivers about, and we're going a-fishing as soon as we have mended our top joint. We've a poney, too, to ride upon, when we can catch him; but he's loose in the paddock, and has neither main nor tail to signify to lay hold of. Isn't it prime, Bob? You must come. If your mother won't give your father leave to allow you to run away. Remember, you turn up Goswell street to go to Lincolnshire, and ask for Middlefen hall. There's a pond full of frogs, but we won't pelt them till you come: but let it be before Sunday, as there's our own orchard to rob, and the fruit's to be gathered on Monday. If you like sucking raw eggs, we know where the hen's lay, and mother don't; and I'm bound there's lots of bird's nests. Do come, Bob, and I'll show you the wasp's nest, and every thing that can make you comfortable. I dare say you could borrow your father's volunteer musket of him without his knowing of it; but be sure any how and bring the ramrod, as we have mislaid ours by firing it off."

**Dress.**—Few are aware of the peril or safety of dress, to the female character. Many a vain woman has lost her honor—not from the attractions of her beauty, but the allurements of her dress. Simplicity is the great friend of innocence. It is not less the modern raiment, than the moral principle, of the quakeress, that secures her at all time against the unhallowed gaze of passion, yet at the same time insures her respect and admiration.

It is not the costliness of the dress, but the fashion we object to. We concur with the great poet of human nature:  
"Costly thy habit as thy purse can buy,  
But not expressed in fancy; rich, not gaudy."

Simplicity of dress is one of the prominent features of the religion of the Quakers. Though it is less showy, it is more costly than that of any other class of society. They have no occasion for nunneries to secure the chastity of their females. The fashionable world are never amused with any of their developments. They have neither Magdalen nor Foundling Hospitals. They have no poor houses; no paupers; no beggars.

And the world laughs at their dress—but 'tis only the laugh of the fox, that had lost his tail, sneering at his companions because they chose to retain theirs. They will change their dress when they have lost their principles—not before.

Dress is the most infallible index of character. All know, that a certain class, which society banishes from its circles, dress the gaudiest. Those who would be esteemed virtuous should dress with so much modesty as not to be mistaken for them!

We refer this subject to the society for the suppression of intemperance—alcohol is not more intoxicating than millinery.

Boston Post.

**"SELLING OFF AT COST."**

From the New-York Evening Post.

Among the business anomalies which meet the eye of a stranger visiting New-York, are the placards exhibited in the windows of the retail shops, informing passers by that the stock in trade within is selling off at prime cost, or—according to the more alluring announcement which some have adopted—at fifty per cent. less than cost. A person attracted by this lure to become a purchaser, must soon come to the conclusion that either the veracity of the dealer is not of the most scrupulous description, or else that he laid in his goods at enormous prices. One in the habit of passing these shops, must at last smile to perceive that, notwithstanding their owners have been selling off their goods at less than cost for so long a time,

their shelves continue to be as well filled as ever. We have heard of one individual who, wishing to retire, in consequence of declining health, was five years disposing of his merchandise, 'at prime cost,' and, at the end of this time, he found his capital so much augmented, that he removed into a more busy part of the city, and entered into trade on a much larger scale than before. How it is that trades-people can sell their goods at less than they paid for them, and yet realize a handsome profit, is one of those mysteries of commerce which we never could penetrate. Perhaps they are like the Irish mercer, who, having assured a lady customer that the silk he desired to dispose of to her actually cost him more per yard than he charged for it, was asked how he then could afford to sell it so low. 'Ah, madam,' he replied 'we depend for our profit on selling a large quantity.'

**Childhood.**—There is in childhood a holy ignorance, a beautiful credulity, a sort of sanctity, that one cannot contemplate without something of the reverential feelings, with which one should approach beings of a celestial nature. The impress of divine nature is, as it were, fresh on the infant spirit—fresh and unsullied by contact with this breathing world. One trembles lest an impure breath should dim the clearness of its bright mirror. And how perpetually must those who are in the habit of contemplating childhood—of studying the characters of little children, feel and repeat to their own hearts—'Of such is the kingdom of Heaven!' Aye, which of us, of the wisest among us, may not stoop to receive instruction and rebuke from the character of a little child? Which of us, by comparison with its divine simplicity, has not reason to blush for the littleness, the insincerity, the worldliness, the degeneracy of his own.

**MRS. B. SHEPARD,**  
MILLINER,  
NORFOLK, 11-12 miles west Meeting house,  
WISHING to relinquish the Millinery business, offers for sale her entire stock of **GOODS**—consisting of  
Leghorn Hats and Bonnets—Straw Hats and Braid—a fine assortment Fancy Trimmings, Ribbons, Wreaths, &c. Silks for hats and linings of various colors and descriptions.—Thule and Thread Laces and Quillings.—Foundation Muslins—Gloves, &c. including a very general assortment of **Fashionable Millinery**, bought very low in New-York for cash, and will be sold cheap together to close the concern. If it is desired, the necessary furniture, such as Presses, Blocks, &c.—a complete apparatus—will be included.  
The attention of Milliners is invited.  
Norfolk, March 7, 1833. \*39

**FOR SALE,**  
Two boxes Hopkins & Alfred's **CLOCKS.**  
GOODWIN & GALPIN.  
March 7. 39

**NOTICE.**  
THE Copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers is this day dissolved by mutual consent.  
GEORGE W. THRALL,  
HOMER F. THRALL.  
Torrington, March 1, 1833. \*39

**7 Cents Reward.**  
RUNAWAY from the subscriber, on the night of the 25d of February last, an indentured apprentice to the Seythe Making Business, named FRANCIS BROWN, about 18 years of age. All persons are forbid harboring, trusting or employing him on penalty of the law. Whoever will return said boy shall be entitled to the above reward, but no charges paid.  
JAMES DUEL.  
Pine Plains, Dutchess county, N. Y. March 8, 1833. 40

**FOR SALE,**  
A GOOD DWELLING HOUSE, with one acre of Land, and Joiner's Shop, situated in the village of Litchfield, on the New-Haven turnpike, about half a mile south of the Court House. Inquire of  
GOODWIN & GALPIN.  
Litchfield, March 6. 39

**AUCTION.**  
BY order of the Court of Probate for the District of Norfolk, will be sold at Public Auction, on Tuesday the 2d day of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, all the Real and Personal Estate of LORRAINE Loomis, of Winchester, consisting of a FARM of one hundred and eighty acres of Land, with the Buildings, and a variety of Furniture, &c. &c.  
JAMES BEEBE,  
NELSON LOMIS, Trustees.  
Winchester, March 6, 1833. \*40

**NOTICE.**  
THE Court of Probate for the District of Litchfield hath assigned the 25th day of instant March, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate Office in Litchfield, for the examination and settlement of the Administration Accounts of the subscribers, administrators on the estate of LEVI COE, late of said Litchfield, deceased, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate will, if they see cause, attend before said Court and be heard in the premises.  
By order of said Court.  
DEBORAH COE, } Admin-  
LEVI COE, } trators.  
Litchfield, March 9, 1833. 40

**Medad Alling's Estate.**  
THE Court of Probate for the District of Sharon has limited and allowed six months from this date for the creditors to the estate of MEDAD ALLING, late of Canaan, in said district, deceased, to present to the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased their claims against said deceased's estate for settlement.  
By order of Court.  
DESIKE ALLING, Executor.  
Canaan, March 6, 1833. \*40

**REDUCED PRICES.**  
**Earthen Ware, China, Glass, & Looking Glasses.**  
**THOS. J. BARROW & CO.**  
Importers, No. 33 Water-Street, New-York.  
ARE now receiving their Spring Patterns of Earthen Ware, China, &c. by last arrivals from Liverpool. Their stock comprises every variety in the line, and is surpassed by none in extent or quality. They have made such arrangements in England for the purchase of their Goods as enables them to hold out the strongest inducements to Merchants dealing in the line, particularly those buying for cash or city acceptances, who will find it greatly for their interest to call, as they are determined to sell at the very lowest prices which it is possible for the article to be put.  
New-York, Feb. 12. 38

**JUST RECEIVED AT**  
**APOTHECARIES' HALL,**  
A FRESH SUPPLY OF  
**LEMON SYRUP.** Chloride of Lime, White Mustard Seed, Pocket Lights, Porter, Varnish, Olive Oil, Oil of Cloves, Alum, Copperas, Paints, Linseed, Lamp-Black, Pepper, Spice, Nutmeg, and Alcohol from ninety cents to seven shillings per gallon; Opium and Camphor—prices as usual—all of which, together with a previously purchased stock, will be sold for cash or good credit, at a fair profit, (but not at cost,) to all persons who find it for their interest to bestow their patronage.  
Litchfield, July 10, 1832. 5

**New Establishment**  
**IN WEST STREET.**  
THE subscribers respectfully inform the public that they have formed a Copartnership under the name and firm of **PARMERLEE, RODGERS & Co.** for the purpose of carrying on the **CARRIAGE & WAGON MAKING BUSINESS** IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.

In tendering their services to the public, they feel assured that from their thorough knowledge of the business they shall be able to satisfy their customers with the best of work, and at moderate prices.  
Carriages and Waggon will be repaired at short notice.


ALSO,  
**BLACKSMITHING**  
In all its various branches will be carried on by them, particularly the manufacturing of EDGED TOOLS, and all kinds of CARRIAGE SPRINGS—which will be made and warranted inferior to none.  
Most kinds of Lumber and Produce taken in payment.

**LINES PARMERLEE,**  
**WILLIAM RODGERS,**  
**AUGUSTUS T. MERRILL.**  
West Street, Litchfield, Nov. 27, 1832. 25

**More New Goods.**  
**SAMUEL P. BOLLES,**  
Having just replenished his stock of **DRY GOODS AND HARDWARE.** HAS the pleasure of offering to the public a very fair assortment of **GOODS** in general, which he is disposed to sell at prices as low, and on terms as accommodating as any of his neighbors—and will be glad to have the opportunity of laying the evidence before all who wish to make good bargains.  
Litchfield, Nov. 22. 24

**NOTICE.**  
  
HEREAFTER (until further notice) the New-Haven Steam-Boats will depart for New-York every morning, Sundays excepted, at 7 o'clock.  
JOEL ROOT, Agent.  
New-Haven, Dec. 16, 1832. 23

**Winter Arrangement.**  
**Stages for New-York & Albany,** by way of Poughkeepsie, LEAVE Parks' Stage House in Litchfield every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday morning, at 4 o'clock. Returning, arrive in Litchfield on the evenings of Monday, Wednesday and Friday. This arrangement to continue until further notice.

  
**Stages for Albany, direct,** By way of Norfolk, Sheffield, &c. leave the Stage House every day at 10 o'clock A. M. and arrive in Albany second afternoon. Returning, reaches Litchfield about 1 o'clock on the second day from Albany. For further information, or passage, please apply at the Stage House, to  
A. CHADWICK, Agent.  
Litchfield, Dec. 20. 1/23

**Stages for Hartford,** Via Plymouth and Bristol,  
  
LEAVE Parks' Stage House EVERY MORNING at 8 o'clock (Sundays excepted). Also, via Harwinton and Burlington, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 8 o'clock, as usual.  
J. PARKS.  
Litchfield, Dec. 6. 26

**JOB PRINTING**  
OF ALL KINDS  
DONE AT THIS OFFICE

**RECEIVED AT**  
**APOTHECARIES' HALL,**  
during the past week,  
**PAINTS** White Lead, Old Madeira, French Yellow, Port, Yellow Ochre, Dry Malaga, Spruce Yellow, Sweet Malaga, Chrome Yellow, Sicily Madeira, Prussian Blue, Madeira, Red Lead, Spanish White, Chinese Vermillion, English do, Gin, Rose Pink, Turkey Umber, Gum Copal & Shellac, Copal Varnish, "Japan", Alcohol, Spirits Turpentine, Litchfield, Jan. 17. 32

**WINE** Linseed Oil, Rectified Oil, Lamp Oil, Castor Oil, &c.

**Drugs and Medicines,**  
**Paints, Oils, Wines, &c.**  
At Wholesale and Retail.

**J. G. BECKWITH**  
OFFERS for sale a complete assortment of the above articles in quantities to suit the purchaser, on as good terms as they can be bought within the state, for cash or credit, including an assortment of Bronzes, Gold and Silver Leaf and Foil, Gums Copal, and Shell Lac, Alcohol, Japan and Copal Varnish, Tamarinds, Madder, Cochineal, Indigo, American and Russian Isinglass, Spices, Sal Eratus, Patent Barley and Cocoa, Soda and Seidlitz Powders, Congress Water—superior and common winter Sperm, Castor, pure Linseed and Sweet Oils, Comp. Chlorine Tooth Wash, Preston's Salts, Bayberry Tallow.

A large assortment of **PATENT MEDICINES**—including Hooper's, James', Rush's and Phinney's Anti-dyspeptic Pills, Dean's Rheumatic Pills, Kidder's Medicines, Anderson's Cough Drops, Bateman's Drops, Swain's Panacea, Welch Medicamentum, Thompson's Eye Water, &c.

Also, a complete assortment of English and American **PAINTS**—among which are white and red Lead, Whiting, Chrome Yellow and Green, Prussian Blue No. 1 and 2, Dutch and Rose Pink, Terra De Sienna, Vermillion, Lamp Black, &c.

London Brown Stout and L. and Philad. Porter—Old Madeira, pure Port, Samos and other WINES, in bottles and by draught, at retail. Pure Cognac Brandy, Holland Gin, W. I. Rum, &c. as medicines.  
Physicians, Hatters, Painters, &c. supplied on as good terms as they can purchase the same qualities in New-York.  
Litchfield, Jan. 24. 33

**WANTED,**  
FROM ten to fifteen smart, likely, steady Young Men, who wish to engage in the **Peddling Business.** Such as can come well recommended, and of temperate habits. For further information, apply to  
ASA S. BLAKESLEE,  
or  
AARON W. FOX.  
Feb. 21. 6157 Northfield, Ct.

**BOOKS**  
AT **NEW-YORK PRICES.**  
**E. A. LORD**  
HAS on hand, and is constantly receiving from New-York, a good supply of **Books and Stationary,** which will be sold at New-York prices, and cheaper than they can be purchased in this State.

**BOOK BINDING**  
in all its varieties executed in the most thorough manner.  
**BLANK BOOKS**  
Manufactured of good paper, and on short notice.  
**BLANKS**—a complete assortment—constantly on hand.  
Cash, and the highest price, paid for **SHEEP SKINS,** suitable for Binding.  
31 Jan. 12

**NOTICE.**  
THOSE who wish to settle their accounts or have any particular business with the subscriber during his absence, will call on E. W. BOLLES, at his store, three doors west of the County House.  
Feb. 21. WM. BOLLES.

**VALUABLE MEDICINE.**  
THE EXTENSIVE DEMAND FOR Anderson's Cough Drops and Pectoral Powders prepared by James Mellen & Co. have enabled them to reduce the price very much; and from an extensive use for 16 years past, they have proved to be one of the most valuable remedies ever yet discovered for the cure of Coughs, Colds and other affections of the breast and lungs leading to Consumption. Thousands have experienced the happy effects of this **Healing Balm**, some of whom have given certificates that will satisfy every unprejudiced mind that the most unexpected cures have been performed by the use of them, where the most skillful Physicians had given them up as hopeless. It is not pretended that they cure in all cases, but there are few cases of Coughs or even seated Consumption but may be relieved by a timely use of this Healing Balm. Each large Bottle contains 20 doses, which proves them to be a very cheap medicine.

**Interesting and Important information.**  
To the afflicted, may be obtained by reading the certificates which accompany each bottle, and from which the following are extracted:—One from Mr. Gains Stebbins, of Hillsdale, as to the effects produced from the use of a single bottle, that he purchased and gave a poor man who had been in his employ.

Also, the astonishing effect of one bottle used by Robert Kidney, of Rochester, Monroe county, after being given up by a council of five physicians.  
Also, the certificate of the Rev. Philip Judson, a clergyman of Ashford, Conn., as to the remarkable effects of a few bottles used by himself, after raising blood for some time, attended with a Cough and Catarrh, he having tried many other things without obtaining any real relief, until he used these drops.

Also, the unexpected relief obtained by Mrs. Huntington, of Ashford, who was so much reduced that her life was despaired of; but who, from the use of these drops for a short time, was restored to health, so as to be enabled to do a good day's work.

Many Physicians, who were strongly opposed to the use of this medicine, now praise it highly, and use it in their families.

**CAUTION—Beware of Counterfeits.**  
Every purchaser who values health will observe that each genuine bottle we sell has Anderson's Cough Drops, prepared by J. MELLEN, stamped in the glass, and that each of the directions are signed in writing J. S. MELLEN. Examine before you purchase, as there are a number of spurious kinds in market, similar in appearance, but very different in their effects.  
For Sale by  
6157 S. BUEL, Druggist, Litchfield.

**COPARTNERSHIP.**  
THE subscribers have formed a connexion in business, under the name and firm of **W. & D. PORTER.** Business will be conducted by them at the same store occupied by Wm. Porter; where a general assortment of **GOODS** are offered to the public on the most favorable terms—consisting of  
**Dry Goods, Crockery, Glass Ware, Groceries, &c.**  
Most kinds of produce received in exchange. The public are invited to call and examine their goods, as the prices shall be made satisfactory.  
WM. PORTER,  
DWIGHT PORTER.  
Litchfield, Feb. 19, 1833. 37

**NEW STORE**  
AND  
**NEW GOODS.**  
**SUPERFINE** Blue, Olive-green and Mulberry **BROADCLOTHS,** Superfine Cassimeres and Sattinets, Domestic Cotton, Tickings, and Calicoes.  
Together with a good Assortment of **GROCERIES** of the best quality, for sale at reasonable prices, by  
**E. W. BOLLES,**  
North side of West Street.  
Litchfield, Feb. 20, 1833. 37

**NOTICE.**  
THOSE who have open accounts of more than six months' continuance are requested to call and adjust the same without delay.  
WM. PORTER.  
Litchfield, Feb. 20. 37

**NEW**  
**Book-Store.**  


THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE RECEIVED A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF **Books and Stationary,** WHICH they are determined to sell as low as can be purchased in Hartford or New-Haven.

**GOODWIN & GALPIN.**  
P. S. Cash paid for **SHEEP SKINS** suitable for Book Binding.  
Litchfield, Jan. 5, 1832. 1/30

**BENCH PLANES**  
AND  
**MOULDING TOOLS.**  
A GOOD assortment just received at the manufacturers' prices. ALSO, BRACES and BITTS, a large variety, from a common to a first rate article. CHISELS and GOUGES, all sorts and sizes. SAWS, generally, from a key-hole Saw to a Mill-Saw.

FILES, of all descriptions. SQUARES, of every sort. PLANE-IRONS, all widths, single and double, Cast or German Steel. Broad Axes, Hand Hatchets, Slicks, &c. CAST STEEL AUGERS and AUGER-BITTS.

**GROCERIES,** a good assortment.  
**DRY GOODS—CROCKERY,** LEATHER.  
**Wheat and Rye Flour.** At reduced prices, for sale by  
S. P. BOLLES.  
Litchfield, Feb. 13. 36

**WAGGON TIRE.**  
REFINED Salisbury Iron Waggon Tire, and Nail Rods, for sale by  
W. & D. PORTER.

**Wheat and Rye Flour.**  
ROCHESTER FLOUR, of the best brands and quality. Also, fresh ground RYE FLOUR, warranted to be of superior quality. For sale by  
W. & D. PORTER.  
South of Post Office, Feb. 21. 37

**Webster's History.**  
A SUPPLY of the 2d Edition of Webster's History of the United States, just received for sale at the Cheap Bookstore of Dec. 6  
E. A. LORD.  
Just Received at the New Book-Store, IN EAST STREET, WEBSTER'S History of the United States. GOODWIN & GALPIN.  
December 6. 26

Litchfield County, ss. Superior Court, Term of February, 1833.  
WHEREAS Benjamin H. Negus, of Litchfield, in said county, has brought his petition to this Court, shewing that on the 16th day of June, 1826, he was lawfully married to Tabitha, then Tabitha Perkins, with whom he lived in the due performance of all the duties of the marriage covenant on his part to be performed, until on or about the 15th day of June, 1830, when the said Tabitha deserted said petitioner, and now resides in some part of the state of New-York, to him unknown; and that since her desertion, she the said Tabitha had been guilty of the crime of adultery; and praying this Court to inquire into the truth of the allegations set forth in said petition, and on finding them true to grant him a bill of divorce from the said Tabitha. Said petition being entered in the docket of this Court, it is ordered, that the same shall be continued to the term of this Court to be holden at Litchfield, in and for the county of Litchfield, on the third Tuesday of August, 1833.—It is also further ordered, that notice of the pendency of said petition shall be given to the said Tabitha by publishing a true copy of this order in a newspaper printed in Litchfield called the Litchfield Enquirer, and in a newspaper printed in Hartford called the Connecticut Courant, six weeks successively, immediately after the rising of this Court, which shall be legal notice to the said Tabitha to appear and defend in said petition.  
A true copy.  
6 30 FREDERICK WOLCOTT, Clerk.